



Memorandum

To: Honorable Mayor Maso and Members of the Frisco City Council

Cc: George A. Purefoy, City Manager
Nell Lange, Assistant City Manager

From: Stacy Brown

Date: May 10, 2010

Agenda Caption: Consider and act upon a Resolution authorizing the City Manager to execute a Worksite Agreement between the City of Frisco and Workforce Solutions for North Central Texas for participation in the Summer Youth Employment Program.

Action Requested: City Council consideration of a Worksite Agreement between the City of Frisco and Workforce Solutions for North Central Texas to participate in the Summer Youth Employment Program.

Background Information: The federal Summer Youth Employment Program is funded through the Department of Labor Workforce Investment Act. During the summer of 2009, the City participated in the Summer Youth Employment program as a worksite. The City has been asked to participate in the program as a worksite for the summer of 2010.

As a worksite, the City is responsible for supervising employees and providing a place to work. The Summer Youth Employment Program through Workforce Solutions is responsible for hiring employees, placing employees, and paying employees. This program provides summer employment for youth from low-income families 16 years of age to 24 years of age.

City departments have requested 17 workers for the summer of 2010. The Library has requested 10 youth, whereas Facilities has requested 5 youth, and Finance has requested 2 youth.

Board Review/Citizen Input: NA

Alternatives: The Council could choose to approve this request, deny this request, or request additional information.

Financial Considerations: Assuming all positions are filled for a period of 10 weeks, the City would benefit by saving \$49,300 in personnel expense.

Legal Review: None required.

Supporting Documents: None

Staff Recommendation: Staff recommends approval.